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Summary statement by the Secretary-General on matters of which the Security Council is seized and on the stage reached in their consideration

Addendum

Pursuant to rule 11 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the Secretary-General is submitting the following summary statement.

The list of items of which the Security Council is seized is contained in documents S/2005/15 of 25 February 2005, S/2005/15/Add.20 of 31 May 2005, S/2005/15/Add.21 of 7 June 2005, S/2005/15/Add.27 of 19 July 2005, S/2005/15/Add.29 of 3 August 2005, S/2005/15/Add.36 of 20 September 2005, S/2005/15/Add.37 of 27 September 2005 and S/2005/15/Add.41 of 25 October 2005.

During the week ending 10 December 2005, the Security Council took action on the following items:

Security Council mission (*see* S/2003/40/Add.24, 27, 29 and 45; S/2004/20/Add.3, 7, 26, 28, 48 and 49; and S/2005/15/Add.15, 18 and 45)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 5315th meeting, held on 6 December 2005 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it the report of the Security Council mission to Central Africa, 4 to 11 November 2005 (S/2005/716).

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Burundi, Rwanda and Uganda, at their request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote.

Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B (*see* S/2001/15/Add.49; S/2002/30/Add.22 and 46; S/2003/40/Add.22 and 46; S/2004/20/Add.23 and 40; and S/2005/15/Add.22; *see also* S/11185/Add.28, 29, 32, 34 and 49; S/11593/Add.7-10, 23, 24 and 49;

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S/11935/Add.23, 24 and 50; S/12269/Add.24, 35-37 and 50; S/12520/Add.23, 45, 47 and 49; S/13033/Add.23 and 49; S/13737/Add.23 and 49; S/14326/Add.22 and 50; S/14840/Add.24 and 50; S/15560/Add.24, 46 and 50; S/16270/Add.17, 18, 23 and 49; S/16880/Add.23, 37 and 49; S/17725/Add.23 and 49; S/18570/Add.23 and 50; S/19420/Add.24 and 50; S/20370/Add.22 and 49; S/21100/Add.10, 23, 28, 49 and 50; S/22110/Add.23, 40, 49 and 51; S/23370/Add.14, 23, 28, 34, 47 and 50; S/25070/Add.19, 21, 23 and 50; S/1994/20/Add.9, 23, 29 and 50; S/1995/40/Add.24 and 50; S/1996/15/Add.25 and 51; S/1997/40/Add.25 and 51; S/1998/44/Add.26 and 51; S/1999/25/Add.25 and 49; S/2000/40/Add.23 and 49; S/2001/15/Add.24 and 50; S/2002/30/Add.23, 39 and 47; S/2003/40/Add.14, 15, 23 and 47; S/2004/20/Add.13, 16, 17, 23 and 42; and S/2005/15/Add. 23 and 24)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 5316th (private) meeting, held on 7 December 2005 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

At the close of the meeting, in accordance with rule 55 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the following communiqué was issued through the Secretary-General in place of a verbatim record:

> "On 7 December 2005, the Security Council, pursuant to annex II, sections A and B, of resolution 1353 (2001), held its 5316th meeting in private with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus (UNFICYP).
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> "The Security Council and the troop-contributing countries heard a briefing under rule 39 of its provisional rules of procedure by Wolfgang Weisbrod-Weber, Acting Director of the Europe and Latin America Division of the Department of Peacekeeping Operations."

The situation between Eritrea and Ethiopia (*see* S/1998/44/Add.25; S/1999/25/Add.3, 5 and 7; S/2000/40/Add.18, 19, 30, 32, 36, 45 and 46; S/2001/15/Add.6, 11, 16, 20, 37 and 46; S/2002/30/Add.2, 9, 10, 19, 32 and 35; S/2003/40/Add.10, 28 and 36; S/2004/20/Add.10 and 37; and S/2005/15/Add.10, 36, 39 and 46; *see also* S/2004/20/Add.36; and S/2005/15/Add.9, 35 and 41)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 5317th meeting, held on 7 December 2005 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

The President stated that, following consultations of the Council, he had been authorized to make a statement on behalf of the Council and read out the text of that statement (for the text, see S/PRST/2005/59; to be issued in *Official Records of the Security Council, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1 August 2005-31 July 2006*).

The situation in Côte d'Ivoire (*see* S/2002/30/Add.50; S/2003/40/Add.5, 17, 19, 29, 31, 45, 47 and 48; S/2004/20/Add.5, 8, 17, 21, 31, 44, 46 and 50; and S/2005/15/Add.4, 12, 13, 16, 17, 21, 24, 26, 34 , 40, 41 and 47; *see also* S/2003/40/Add.44; S/2004/20/Add.12; and S/2005/15/Add.11)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 5318th meeting, held on 9 December 2005 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representative of Côte d'Ivoire, at his request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote.

The President stated that, following consultations of the Council, he had been authorized to make a statement on behalf of the Council and read out the text of that statement (for the text, see S/PRST/2005/60; to be issued in *Official Records of the Security Council, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1 August 2005-31 July 2006*).

Protection of civilians in armed conflict (*see* S/1999/25/Add.5, 7 and 36; S/2000/40/Add.15; S/2001/15/Add.17 and 47; S/2002/30/Add.10, 49 and 50; S/2003/40/Add.24, 49 and 50; S/2004/20/Add.24 and 50; and S/2005/15/Add.24)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 5319th meeting, held on 9 December 2005 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it the report of the Secretary-General on the protection of civilians in armed conflict (S/2005/740). There was one suspension and one resumption of the meeting.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Canada, Egypt, Germany, Iraq, Italy, Liechtenstein, Mexico, Nepal, Norway, Pakistan, Peru, Qatar, the Republic of Korea, Slovakia, South Africa, Spain, Switzerland and Uganda, at their request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Jan Egeland, Under-Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs and Emergency Relief Coordinator.

The meeting was suspended.

Upon the resumption of the meeting, the President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representative of Rwanda, at his request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote.